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**To:** ACC\_DOMAIN.ADMIN\_PO(WMundell,MSpitzer,MGleason,JHatch),CC.SMTP(Jrvin)  
**Date:** Tue, Jul 1, 2003 10:18 PM  
**Subject:** LETTER TO CORPORATION COMMISSION

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I oppose the proposed 22% increase in the cost of electricity. While price increases for goods and services are inevitable, a 22% increase in utility rates under which all citizens must bear would severely impact our local economy and will hinder the growth and reduce the quality of life in Lake Havasu City. The ratepayer's were not involved in the poor decisions made by Citizens' management team and therefore, Citizens' shareholders and not the ratepayers should be required to bear the burden of the error in judgment made by Citizens' management.

It is our understanding the Commission will make its ruling on this issue during an open meeting in Phoenix on either July 1 or 2. I urge you to listen to the residents and voters in Lake Havasu City, consider the negative affect a double digit increase in electric rates would bring to our community, and disallow the increase in rates as currently proposed.

Sincerely,

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**Date:** Tue, Jul 1, 2003 12:24 PM  
**Subject:** Havasu Electric Rate Increase

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Sincerely, Thom Yaras 2011 Spruce Drive, Lake Havasu City AZ 86406,  
928-505-2200 President Pacific Digital Products

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**Date:** Tue, Jul 1, 2003 12:58 PM  
**Subject:** Proposed electric utility rates

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Sharon Martinez

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